Resources for Police

National P.O.L.I.C.E. Suicide Foundation http://www.psf.org

Badge of Life - Police Suicide Prevention Program http://www.badgeoflife.com/

Police Suicide: Understanding Grief and Loss www.giftfromwithin.org/html/policesd.html

Police Funerals—Police Suicide Is Your Agency Ready www.policefunerals.com

Tears of a Cop www.tearsofacop.com

Effective postvention for police suicide http://www.massey.ac.nz/~trauma/issues/2001-2/loo.htm

Suicide in Law Enforcement editorial http://njlawman.com/Feature%20Pieces/Suicide.htm

Books

Hackett, D.P. (ed.) and Violanti, J.M. (ed.), (2003) Police Suicide: Tactics for Prevention. Springfield: Charles C. Thomas Publisher Ltd.

Violanti, J.M., (1996) Police Suicide: Epidemic in Blue. Springfield: Charles C. Thomas Publisher, Ltd.

Articles

Police Suicide: Can It Be Prevented

http://www.cophealth.com/articles/articles_policesuicide_a.html

Law Enforcement and Fire Departments Suicide: Know the Signs http://www.n-fa.com/SpecialInterests/Articles/19.asp

Hotlines

1-800-COPLINE (1-800-267-5463)

This is a 24 hour national hotline exclusively for law enforcement officers and their families, staffed by retired police officers and dealing with all aspects of police suicide, including losing a family member to suicide.

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